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Remarks

Recommendation, please, to DCI.

Executive Secretary

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The Honorable William J. Casey
Director, Central Intelligence
Washington DC 20505

20 AUG 1984

Dear Mr Casey

The Air Staff Training (ASTRA) officers at the Pentagon would like to invite you to talk with us in November or December. Since we are junior officer "interns" to the Pentagon, most of us are here for career broadening. We would appreciate hearing your view on how to use this learning experience in our future roles as decision makers . Mostly, it will be an opportunity for us to see things from a senior leader's perspective and to get a rare glimpse of the view from the top.

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In the recent past ASTRAs have met with Senators Goldwater and Garn, the Secretary of Defense, Dr. Zbigniew Brzeinski, Lt Gen Faurer of the National Security Agency, and the President's Special Assistant to the National Security Council, as well as virtually all of the senior Air Force leadership. We have visited the State Department, the National Security Agency, and the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency. During September we are scheduled to meet with all of the members of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

Our schedules are very flexible, so we can arrange a meeting to accommodate you. The ASTRA point of contact who will contact your office is Capt Dennis Drayer, AF/INYS, 697-3204.

Respectfully

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